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QUARTERLY ESTIMATES FOR SELECTED SERVICE INDUSTRIES 4th QUARTER 2013

Special Notice: The quarterly services estimates have been revised to reflect historical corrections, new seasonal factors, and results of the 2012 Service Annual Survey. The Annual Benchmark Report showing revised estimates can be found at www.census.gov/services/.

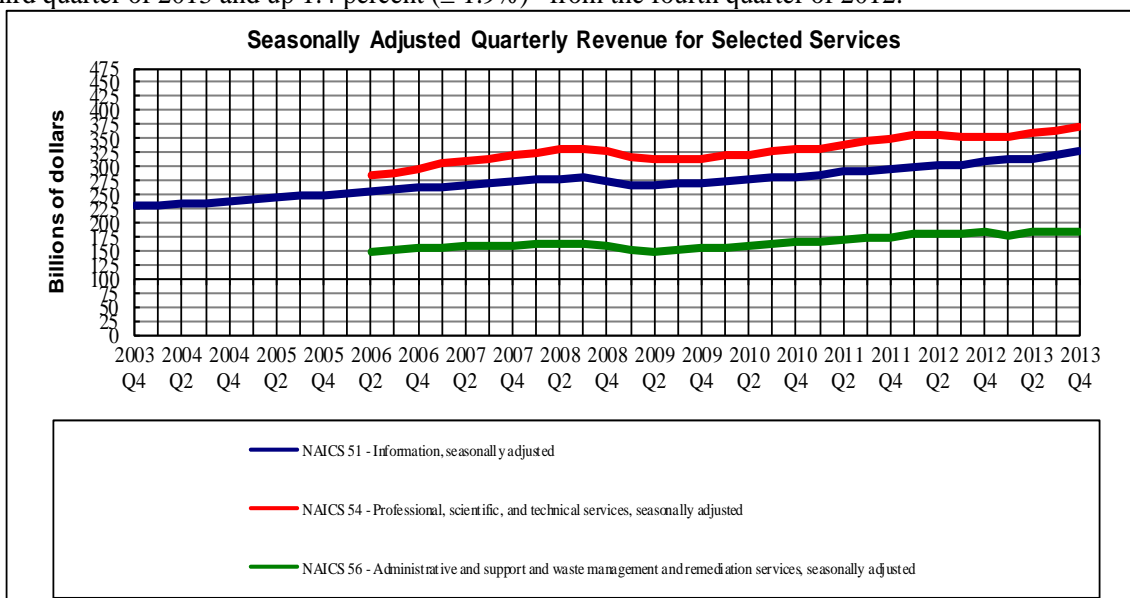
Expanded Coverage: Quarterly revenue estimates are included for the first time for the Accommodation subsector (NAICS 721).

Economic Indicator Webinar Series: To learn more about this release and the other indicators the U.S. Census Bureau publishes, join us for the Economic Indicator Webinar Series on March 26 at 1 P.M. For more information go to www.census.gov/econ/webinar.

Information The U.S. Census Bureau announced today that the estimate of U.S. information sector revenue for the fourth calendar quarter of 2013, adjusted for seasonal variation but not for price changes, was \$326.0 billion, an increase of 1.9 percent ($\pm 0.6\%$) from the third quarter of 2013 and up 5.3 percent ($\pm 1.1\%$) from the fourth quarter of 2012.

Professional, scientific, and technical services (except landscape architectural services and veterinary services) The estimate of U.S. professional, scientific, and technical services revenue for the fourth quarter of 2013, adjusted for seasonal variation but not for price changes, was \$369.3 billion, an increase of 1.1 percent ($\pm 1.3\%$)* from the third quarter of 2013 and up 4.5 percent ($\pm 2.1\%$) from the fourth quarter of 2012.

Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services (except landscaping services) The estimate of U.S. administrative and support and waste management and remediation services revenue for the fourth quarter of 2013, adjusted for seasonal variation but not for price changes, was \$184.7 billion, an increase of 1.2 percent ($\pm 1.3\%$)* from the third quarter of 2013 and up 1.4 percent ($\pm 1.9\%$)* from the fourth quarter of 2012.



* The 90 percent confidence interval includes zero. The Census Bureau does not have sufficient statistical evidence to conclude that the actual change is different from zero.

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Utilities (excluding government owned) The estimate of U.S. utilities (excluding government owned) revenue for the fourth quarter of 2013, not adjusted for seasonal variation, or price changes, was \$142.3 billion, a decrease of 6.1 percent ($\pm 1.7\%$) from the third quarter of 2013 and up 8.4 percent ($\pm 2.8\%$) from the fourth quarter of 2012. The second quarter of 2013 to third quarter of 2013 percent change was revised from 13.1 percent ($\pm 2.7\%$) to 13.6 percent ($\pm 3.2\%$).

Transportation and warehousing The estimate of U.S. transportation and warehousing revenue for the fourth quarter of 2013, not adjusted for seasonal variation, or price changes, was \$206.9 billion, a decrease of 0.6 percent ($\pm 1.1\%$)* from the third quarter of 2013 and up 4.6 percent ($\pm 1.5\%$) from the fourth quarter of 2012. The second quarter of 2013 to third quarter of 2013 percent change was revised from 1.9 percent ($\pm 0.8\%$) to 1.6 percent ($\pm 0.8\%$).

Finance and insurance The estimate of U.S. finance and insurance revenue for the fourth quarter of 2013, not adjusted for seasonal variation, or price changes, was \$900.1 billion, an increase of 4.4 percent ($\pm 1.1\%$) from the third quarter of 2013 and up 5.6 percent ($\pm 2.5\%$) from the fourth quarter of 2012. The second quarter of 2013 to third quarter of 2013 percent change was revised from -1.0 percent ($\pm 0.6\%$) to -1.1 percent ($\pm 0.6\%$).

Real estate and rental and leasing services The estimate of U.S. real estate and rental and leasing revenue for the fourth quarter of 2013, not adjusted for seasonal variation, or price changes, was \$123.0 billion, a decrease of 0.9 percent ($\pm 1.9\%$)* from the third quarter of 2013 and up 5.5 percent ($\pm 5.1\%$) from the fourth quarter of 2012. The second quarter of 2013 to third quarter of 2013 percent change was revised from 1.3 percent ($\pm 2.1\%$)* to 2.2 percent ($\pm 1.9\%$).

Educational services The estimate of U.S. educational services revenue for the fourth quarter of 2013, not adjusted for seasonal variation, or price changes, was \$15.9 billion, a decrease of 2.1 percent ($\pm 4.4\%$)* from the third quarter of 2013 and up 10.4 percent ($\pm 3.8\%$) from the fourth quarter of 2012. The second quarter of 2013 to third quarter of 2013 percent change was revised from -5.2 percent ($\pm 4.2\%$) to -3.9 percent ($\pm 4.4\%$)*.

Health care and social assistance The estimate of U.S. health care and social assistance revenue for the fourth quarter of 2013, not adjusted for seasonal variation, or price changes, was \$560.7 billion, an increase of 3.8 percent ($\pm 0.6\%$) from the third quarter of 2013 and up 4.9 percent ($\pm 1.1\%$) from the fourth quarter of 2012. The second quarter of 2013 to third quarter of 2013 percent change was revised from -0.7 percent ($\pm 0.4\%$) to -1.0 percent ($\pm 0.4\%$).

Arts, entertainment, and recreation The estimate of U.S. arts, entertainment, and recreation revenue for the fourth quarter of 2013, not adjusted for seasonal variation, or price changes, was \$54.1 billion, a decrease of 4.5 percent ($\pm 2.8\%$) from the third quarter of 2013 and up 3.0 percent ($\pm 3.4\%$)* from the fourth quarter of 2012. The second quarter of 2013 to third quarter of 2013 percent change was revised from 5.0 percent ($\pm 1.9\%$) to 4.8 percent ($\pm 2.1\%$).

Accommodation The estimate of U.S. accommodation revenue for the fourth quarter of 2013, not adjusted for seasonal variation, or price changes, was \$51.5 billion, a decrease of 10.3 percent ($\pm 1.9\%$) from the third quarter of 2013 and up 0.4 percent ($\pm 2.5\%$)* from the fourth quarter of 2012.

Other services (except public administration) The estimate of U.S. other services (except public administration) revenue for the fourth quarter of 2013, not adjusted for seasonal variation, or price changes, was \$113.0 billion, an increase of 12.6 percent ($\pm 3.8\%$) from the third quarter of 2013 and up 2.8 percent ($\pm 4.0\%$)* from the fourth quarter of 2012. The second quarter of 2013 to third quarter of 2013 percent change was revised from -4.8 percent ($\pm 2.5\%$) to -4.2 percent ($\pm 2.3\%$).

Additional industry detail and estimates of source of revenue, expenses, inpatient days, and discharges can be found at: www.census.gov/services/
For survey description, description of seasonal adjustment and an explanation of the reliability of the estimates included in this report, please see the last page of the publication.

First quarter 2014 estimates are scheduled to be released on June 11, 2014, at 10:00 A.M. EDT. The scheduled release dates for the remainder of 2014 are as follows: September 11 (second quarter), and December 10 (third quarter).

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Table 1a. Selected Services - Estimated Quarterly Revenue for Employer Firms, Seasonally Adjusted¹

[Estimates are adjusted for seasonal variation but not for price changes and are based on data from the Quarterly Services Survey. For additional information see www.census.gov/services]

2007 NAICS code ²	Kind of business	Total revenue (millions of dollars)						Percent change					
		4Q 2013 (p)	3Q 2013	2Q 2013	1Q 2013	4Q 2012	3Q 2012	4Q 2013 from 3Q 2013 (p)	3Q 2013 from 2Q 2013	2Q 2013 from 1Q 2013	1Q 2013 from 4Q 2012	4Q 2013 from 4Q 2012 (p)	3Q 2013 from 3Q 2012
51	Information	326,018	320,087	314,808	312,286	309,614	303,811	1.9	1.7	0.8	0.9	5.3	5.4
5112	Software publishers	45,478	44,413	42,621	44,682	41,380	40,289	2.4	4.2	-4.6	8.0	9.9	10.2
512	Motion picture and sound recording industries	27,218	26,827	25,705	25,023	25,289	24,295	1.5	4.4	2.7	-1.1	7.6	10.4
54	Professional, scientific, and technical services ³	369,307	365,208	360,860	351,412	353,421	353,407	1.1	1.2	2.7	-0.6	4.5	3.3
5411	Legal services ³	66,715	65,494	63,807	59,946	63,842	61,517	1.9	2.6	6.4	-6.1	4.5	6.5
5412	Accounting, tax preparation, bookkeeping, and payroll services	35,569	34,636	33,637	33,076	33,330	33,143	2.7	3.0	1.7	-0.8	6.7	4.5
56	Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services ⁴	184,670	182,436	181,911	177,285	182,195	181,540	1.2	0.3	2.6	-2.7	1.4	0.5
5613	Employment services	66,521	64,376	64,443	62,543	64,660	65,046	3.3	-0.1	3.0	-3.3	2.9	-1.0
5615	Travel arrangement and reservation services	9,313	9,450	9,394	10,028	9,885	10,186	-1.5	0.6	-6.3	1.4	-5.8	-7.2
561 pt	Other administrative and support services ⁵	87,020	87,132	86,697	83,750	86,540	85,174	-0.1	0.5	3.5	-3.2	0.6	2.3
562	Waste management and remediation services	21,816	21,478	21,377	20,964	21,110	21,134	1.6	0.5	2.0	-0.7	3.3	1.6
622	Hospitals.....	247,450	239,039	238,817	234,536	232,942	231,372	3.5	0.1	1.8	0.7	6.2	3.3

(p) Preliminary estimate.

(1) The seasonal factors are based on a short time series that may not have stable seasonal patterns. As more estimates are added to the time series, large revisions in seasonal factors and consequently historical estimates may be observed. Data users should exercise caution when drawing inferences based on the seasonally adjusted estimates. Unless otherwise specified, seasonally adjusted estimates are obtained using a direct seasonal adjustment at the published NAICS (North American Industry Classification System) level.

(2) For a full description of the NAICS (North American Industry Classification System) codes used in this table, see the 2007 NAICS manual or www.census.gov/eos/www/naics/.

(3) Excludes NAICS 54112 (offices of notaries).

(4) Seasonally adjusted estimates for NAICS 56 are obtained by summing the seasonally adjusted estimates for NAICS 5613, 5615, 561 pt, and 562.

(5) Includes NAICS 5611 (office administrative services), 5612 (facilities support services), 5614 (business support services), 5616 (investigation and security services), 5617 (services to buildings and dwellings), and 5619 (other support services).

Note: Estimates cover taxable and tax-exempt firms unless otherwise specified. Additionally, estimates for some sectors and subsectors may include data for kinds of business not shown. Table 2 provides estimated measures of sampling variability. Data users who create their own estimates using data from this report should cite the U.S. Census Bureau as the source of the original data only. Additional information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, sample design, and definitions may be found at www.census.gov/services/qss/cv.html.

Table 1b. Selected Services - Estimated Quarterly Revenue for Employer Firms, Not Seasonally Adjusted

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2007 NAICS code ¹	Kind of business	Total revenue (millions of dollars)						Percent change				Year to date		
		4Q 2013 (p)	3Q 2013 (r)	2Q 2013	1Q 2013	4Q 2012	3Q 2012	4Q 2013 from 3Q 2013 (p)	3Q 2013 from 2Q 2013 (r)	4Q 2013 from 4Q 2012 (p)	3Q 2013 from 3Q 2012 (r)	2013 (p)	2012	2013 from 2012 (p)
22	Utilities ²	142,306	151,570	133,462	142,901	131,310	144,336	-6.1	13.6	8.4	5.0	570,239	533,376	6.9
2211	Electric power generation, transmission and distribution	112,336	131,708	110,574	108,527	104,106	126,966	-14.7	19.1	7.9	3.7	463,145	442,205	4.7
2212	Natural gas distribution	26,817	16,412	19,780	31,589	24,255	13,901	63.4	-17.0	10.6	18.1	94,598	78,717	20.2
2213	Water, sewage and other systems	3,153	3,450	3,108	2,785	2,949	3,469	-8.6	11.0	6.9	-0.5	12,496	12,454	0.3
48-49	Transportation and warehousing ³	206,900	208,178	204,833	189,690	197,891	198,515	-0.6	1.6	4.6	4.9	809,601	781,167	3.6
481	Air transportation	48,812	51,623	50,220	45,071	46,120	50,373	-5.4	2.8	5.8	2.5	195,726	193,769	1.0
483	Water transportation	9,536	10,798	9,169	8,932	9,301	10,401	-11.7	17.8	2.5	3.8	38,435	37,630	2.1
4831	Deep sea, coastal, and Great Lakes water transportation	7,478	8,860	7,369	7,080	7,333	8,519	-15.6	20.2	2.0	4.0	30,787	X	X
4832	Inland water transportation	2,058	1,938	1,800	1,852	1,968	1,882	6.2	7.7	4.6	3.0	7,648	X	X
484	Truck transportation	60,504	61,853	60,309	55,190	58,297	59,108	-2.2	2.6	3.8	4.6	237,856	230,632	3.1
4841	General freight trucking	40,104	40,688	40,054	37,374	38,903	38,314	-1.4	1.6	3.1	6.2	158,220	152,053	4.1
48412	General freight trucking, long-distance	34,262	35,092	34,525	32,083	33,170	32,548	-2.4	1.6	3.3	7.8	135,962	129,678	4.8
4842	Specialized freight trucking	20,400	21,165	20,255	17,816	19,394	20,794	-3.6	4.5	5.2	1.8	79,636	78,579	1.3
485	Transit and ground passenger transportation	8,285	6,979	8,607	8,175	7,691	6,739	18.7	-18.9	7.7	3.6	32,046	29,971	6.9
486	Pipeline transportation	10,428	10,172	9,646	9,944	9,983	8,987	2.5	5.5	4.5	13.2	40,190	36,396	10.4
487	Scenic and sightseeing transportation	835	1,316	955	536	678	1,143	-36.6	37.8	23.2	15.1	3,642	3,013	20.9
488	Support activities for transportation	38,769	37,610	37,220	33,279	36,889	35,018	3.1	1.0	5.1	7.4	146,878	140,275	4.7
492	Couriers and messengers	22,378	20,777	21,282	21,236	21,823	20,085	7.7	-2.4	2.5	3.4	85,673	82,713	3.6
493	Warehousing and storage	7,353	7,050	7,425	7,327	7,109	6,661	4.3	-5.1	3.4	5.8	29,155	26,768	8.9
51	Information	340,037	314,646	313,234	306,040	322,308	298,950	8.1	0.5	5.5	5.3	1,273,957	1,213,291	5.0
511	Publishing industries (except Internet)	79,174	70,057	70,324	68,638	75,735	67,819	13.0	-0.4	4.5	3.3	288,193	278,640	3.4
51111	Newspaper publishers	8,331	7,530	7,979	7,405	8,821	7,929	10.6	-5.6	-5.6	-5.0	31,245	32,729	-4.5
51112	Periodical publishers	10,319	9,808	9,585	8,834	10,405	9,448	5.2	2.3	-0.8	3.8	38,546	38,949	-1.0
5111 pt	Book, directory and mailing list, and other publishers ⁴	10,453	11,060	10,437	9,236	10,867	12,691	-5.5	6.0	-3.8	-12.9	41,186	45,218	-8.9
5112	Software publishers	50,071	41,659	42,323	43,163	45,642	37,751	20.2	-1.6	9.7	10.4	177,216	161,744	9.6
512	Motion picture and sound recording industries	30,648	25,700	24,934	23,797	28,273	23,275	19.3	3.1	8.4	10.4	105,079	99,096	6.0
515	Broadcasting (except Internet)	33,475	30,022	31,392	29,735	32,175	29,882	11.5	-4.4	4.0	0.5	124,624	121,133	2.9
5151	Radio and television broadcasting	15,721	13,145	13,948	13,714	15,436	14,252	19.6	-5.8	1.8	-7.8	56,528	56,965	-0.8
5152	Cable and other subscription programming	17,754	16,877	17,444	16,021	16,739	15,630	5.2	-3.3	6.1	8.0	68,096	64,168	6.1
517	Telecommunications	150,530	147,267	145,567	142,829	144,709	140,062	2.2	1.2	4.0	5.1	586,193	X	X
5171	Wired telecommunications carriers	82,935	81,813	81,597	80,293	79,534	77,676	1.4	0.3	4.3	5.3	326,638	X	X
5172	Wireless telecommunications carriers (except satellite)	59,755	57,563	56,228	55,036	57,594	54,879	3.8	2.4	3.8	4.9	228,582	220,192	3.8
517 pt	Other telecommunications ⁵	7,840	7,891	7,742	7,500	7,581	7,507	-0.6	1.9	3.4	5.1	30,973	X	X
518	Data processing, hosting, and related services	25,327	23,541	23,730	23,605	23,380	22,175	7.6	-0.8	8.3	6.2	96,203	88,670	8.5
519	Other information services	20,883	18,059	17,287	17,436	18,036	15,737	15.6	4.5	15.8	14.8	73,665	X	X
52	Finance and insurance ⁶	900,090	862,024	871,496	864,479	851,997	858,619	4.4	-1.1	5.6	0.4	3,498,089	3,404,710	2.7
52 pt	Finance and insurance (except monetary authorities-central bank) ⁷	874,574	837,638	849,236	846,186	827,953	834,587	4.4	-1.4	5.6	0.4	3,407,634	3,304,184	3.1
521	Monetary authorities-central bank	25,516	24,386	22,260	18,293	24,044	24,032	4.6	9.6	6.1	1.5	90,455	100,526	-10.0
522	Credit intermediation and related activities	253,715	246,824	249,380	246,481	255,121	258,245	2.8	-1.0	-0.6	-4.4	996,400	1,032,590	-3.5
5221	Depository credit intermediation	99,201	98,825	101,357	99,833	102,135	103,589	0.4	-2.5	-2.9	-4.6	399,216	X	X
5222	Nondepository credit intermediation	125,022	118,484	117,982	118,452	122,412	124,409	5.5	0.4	2.1	-4.8	479,940	X	X
5223	Activities related to credit intermediation	29,492	29,515	30,041	28,196	30,574	30,247	-0.1	-1.8	-3.5	-2.4	117,244	X	X
523	Securities, commodity contracts, and other financial investments and related activities	143,827	133,964	141,979	141,862	135,859	132,451	7.4	-5.6	5.9	1.1	561,632	540,536	3.9
5231	Securities and commodity contracts intermediation and brokerage	68,005	65,339	71,230	74,193	68,192	67,987	4.1	-8.3	-0.3	-3.9	278,767	275,254	1.3
5232	Securities and commodity exchanges	2,568	2,580	2,867	2,634	2,534	2,470	-0.5	-10.0	1.3	4.5	10,649	10,423	2.2
5239	Other financial investment activities	73,254	66,045	67,882	65,035	65,133	61,994	10.9	-2.7	12.5	6.5	272,216	254,859	6.8
524	Insurance carriers and related activities	477,032	456,850	457,877	457,843	436,973	443,891	4.4	-0.2	9.2	2.9	1,849,602	1,731,058	6.8
5241	Insurance carriers	434,515	414,488	414,566	416,240	396,473	402,699	4.8	Z	9.6	2.9	1,679,809	1,569,745	7.0
5242	Agencies, brokerages, and other insurance related activities	42,517	42,362	43,311	41,603	40,500	41,192	0.4	-2.2	5.0	2.8	169,793	161,313	5.3

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53	Real estate and rental and leasing	123,048	124,176	121,467	109,649	116,668	115,078	-0.9	2.2	5.5	7.9	478,340	X	X
531	Real estate	81,999	83,633	81,959	71,708	77,168	77,021	-2.0	2.0	6.3	8.6	319,299	X	X
5311	Lessors of real estate.....	50,545	50,928	50,422	44,854	46,955	46,716	-0.8	1.0	7.6	9.0	196,749	X	X
5312	Offices of real estate agents and brokers.....	17,682	19,075	17,722	13,121	16,187	15,701	-7.3	7.6	9.2	21.5	67,600	X	X
5313	Activities related to real estate.....	13,772	13,630	13,815	13,733	14,026	14,604	1.0	-1.3	-1.8	-6.7	54,950	X	X
532	Rental and leasing services	33,079	33,397	32,439	30,774	32,803	32,062	-1.0	3.0	0.8	4.2	129,689	123,834	4.7
5321	Automotive equipment rental and leasing	12,991	13,665	12,584	11,610	12,089	12,953	-4.9	8.6	7.5	5.5	50,850	47,829	6.3
53211	Passenger car rental and leasing.....	9,115	9,600	8,759	8,077	8,403	9,037	-5.0	9.6	8.5	6.2	35,551	33,124	7.3
53212	Truck, utility trailer, and RV (Recreational Vehicle) rental and leasing	3,876	4,065	3,825	3,533	3,686	3,916	-4.6	6.3	5.2	3.8	15,299	14,705	4.0
5322	Consumer goods rental	5,760	5,414	5,561	5,526	5,594	5,239	6.4	-2.6	3.0	3.3	22,261	21,512	3.5
5323	General rental centers.....	965	1,030	1,073	956	1,042	1,043	-6.3	-4.0	-7.4	-1.2	4,024	4,061	-0.9
5324	Commercial and industrial machinery and equipment rental and leasing	13,363	13,288	13,221	12,682	14,078	12,827	0.6	0.5	-5.1	3.6	52,554	50,432	4.2
533	Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets (except copyrighted works)	7,970	7,146	7,069	7,167	6,697	5,995	11.5	1.1	19.0	19.2	29,352	24,574	19.4
54	Professional, scientific, and technical services ⁸	375,585	359,730	364,108	347,546	359,076	348,459	4.4	-1.2	4.6	3.2	1,446,969	1,419,174	2.0
5411	Legal services ⁸	73,253	64,119	63,360	55,930	69,715	60,471	14.2	1.2	5.1	6.0	256,662	252,767	1.5
5412	Accounting, tax preparation, bookkeeping, and payroll services	31,443	30,341	35,285	39,460	29,397	29,000	3.6	-14.0	7.0	4.6	136,529	131,389	3.9
5413	Architectural, engineering, and related services	57,801	59,277	59,390	54,858	56,620	59,600	-2.5	-0.2	2.1	-0.5	231,326	232,718	-0.6
5413 pt	Architectural and related services ⁹	14,510	14,971	14,596	13,221	13,231	15,455	-3.1	2.6	9.7	-3.1	57,298	57,284	Z
54133	Engineering services	43,291	44,306	44,794	41,637	43,389	44,145	-2.3	-1.1	-0.2	0.4	174,028	175,434	-0.8
5414	Specialized design services.....	5,237	5,046	5,168	4,223	4,345	4,376	3.8	-2.4	20.5	15.3	19,674	X	X
5415	Computer systems design and related services	79,791	77,306	77,028	78,157	80,496	79,149	3.2	0.4	-0.9	-2.3	312,282	320,236	-2.5
5416	Management, scientific, and technical consulting services	47,360	45,827	45,440	41,366	42,163	39,409	3.3	0.9	12.3	16.3	179,993	162,825	10.5
5417	Scientific research and development services	34,353	33,463	33,599	31,301	31,918	34,055	2.7	-0.4	7.6	-1.7	132,716	132,309	0.3
5418	Advertising, public relations, and related services	28,291	26,894	27,209	25,412	27,269	25,204	5.2	-1.2	3.7	6.7	107,806	100,906	6.8
5419	Other professional, scientific, and technical services.....	18,056	17,457	17,629	16,839	17,153	17,195	3.4	-1.0	5.3	1.5	69,981	X	X
56	Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services	185,736	185,393	183,318	172,112	183,231	184,363	0.2	1.1	1.4	0.6	726,559	720,755	0.8
561	Administrative and support services	164,356	163,077	161,342	152,133	162,543	162,405	0.8	1.1	1.1	0.4	640,908	635,550	0.8
5613	Employment services	68,517	64,440	63,799	61,292	66,535	65,111	6.3	1.0	3.0	-1.0	258,048	255,139	1.1
5615	Travel arrangement and reservation services	8,819	9,762	9,892	9,687	9,381	10,502	-9.7	-1.3	-6.0	-7.0	38,160	40,497	-5.8
561 pt	Other administrative and support services ¹⁰	87,020	88,875	87,651	81,154	86,627	86,792	-2.1	1.4	0.5	2.4	344,700	339,914	1.4
562	Waste management and remediation services	21,380	22,316	21,976	19,979	20,688	21,958	-4.2	1.5	3.3	1.6	85,651	85,205	0.5
61	Educational services ¹¹	15,877	16,225	16,886	15,203	14,383	14,597	-2.1	-3.9	10.4	11.2	64,191	58,575	9.6
6114	Business schools and computer and management training	2,856	2,848	2,824	2,794	2,654	2,475	0.3	0.8	7.6	15.1	11,322	10,106	12.0
6115	Technical and trade schools	4,135	4,210	3,729	3,736	3,622	3,892	-1.8	12.9	14.2	8.2	15,810	15,478	2.1
6116	Other schools and instruction.....	4,762	5,278	6,156	5,183	4,703	5,044	-9.8	-14.3	1.3	4.6	21,379	X	X
6117	Educational support services	4,124	3,889	4,177	3,490	3,404	3,186	6.0	-6.9	21.2	22.1	15,680	13,147	19.3
62	Health care and social assistance	560,716	539,933	545,287	533,909	534,744	518,746	3.8	-1.0	4.9	4.1	2,179,845	2,096,734	4.0
621	Ambulatory health care services	217,840	212,192	214,008	206,258	210,124	201,792	2.7	-0.8	3.7	5.2	850,298	820,001	3.7
6211	Offices of physicians.....	108,658	104,516	105,711	101,125	105,830	98,608	4.0	-1.1	2.7	6.0	420,010	404,254	3.9
6212	Offices of dentists.....	25,220	26,512	26,725	26,108	24,831	26,662	-4.9	-0.8	1.6	-0.6	104,565	106,042	-1.4
6213	Offices of other health practitioners	18,173	17,594	17,566	17,057	16,629	16,348	3.3	0.2	9.3	7.6	70,390	66,163	6.4
6214	Outpatient care centers	27,245	25,823	26,321	25,384	26,102	24,600	5.5	-1.9	4.4	5.0	104,773	99,794	5.0
6215	Medical and diagnostic laboratories	12,183	11,878	11,830	11,585	11,471	11,481	2.6	0.4	6.2	3.5	47,476	46,542	2.0
6216	Home health care services	17,712	17,409	17,102	16,641	17,115	16,199	1.7	1.8	3.5	7.5	68,864	65,237	5.6
6219	Other ambulatory health care services	8,649	8,460	8,753	8,358	8,146	7,894	2.2	-3.3	6.2	7.2	34,220	31,969	7.0

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2007 NAICS code ¹	Kind of business	Total revenue (millions of dollars)						Percent change				Year to date		
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622	Hospitals	246,708	236,888	239,772	236,647	232,010	229,290	4.1	-1.2	6.3	3.3	960,015	918,707	4.5
6221	General medical and surgical hospitals.....	231,572	222,646	225,255	222,162	217,643	215,781	4.0	-1.2	6.4	3.2	901,635	X	X
6222	Psychiatric and substance abuse hospitals.....	4,845	4,629	4,800	4,968	5,052	4,605	4.7	-3.6	-4.1	0.5	19,242	X	X
6223	Specialty (except psychiatric and substance abuse) hospitals.....	10,291	9,613	9,717	9,517	9,315	8,904	7.1	-1.1	10.5	8.0	39,138	X	X
623	Nursing and residential care facilities	54,189	52,543	52,611	52,321	52,321	51,500	3.1	-0.1	3.6	2.0	211,664	206,088	2.7
624	Social assistance	41,979	38,310	38,896	38,683	40,289	36,164	9.6	-1.5	4.2	5.9	157,868	151,938	3.9
6241	Individual and family services.....	20,975	20,063	19,561	19,721	19,193	17,972	4.5	2.6	9.3	11.6	80,320	74,311	8.1
6242	Community food and housing, and emergency and other relief services	8,903	6,764	7,363	7,213	8,888	6,787	31.6	-8.1	0.2	-0.3	30,243	29,724	1.7
6243	Vocational rehabilitation services	3,345	3,299	3,249	3,145	3,259	3,431	1.4	1.5	2.6	-3.8	13,038	13,501	-3.4
6244	Child day care services	8,756	8,184	8,723	8,604	8,949	7,974	7.0	-6.2	-2.2	2.6	34,267	34,402	-0.4
71	Arts, entertainment, and recreation.....	54,095	56,623	54,016	47,315	52,499	55,915	-4.5	4.8	3.0	1.3	212,049	208,669	1.6
711	Performing arts, spectator sports, and related industries	24,934	23,695	21,237	18,639	24,276	23,985	5.2	11.6	2.7	-1.2	88,505	87,855	0.7
7111	Performing arts companies.....	4,149	3,844	3,757	3,382	4,407	3,921	7.9	2.3	-5.9	-2.0	15,132	15,736	-3.8
7112	Spectator sports.....	9,750	9,884	7,909	6,712	9,587	10,269	-1.4	25.0	1.7	-3.7	34,255	34,024	0.7
7113	Promoters of performing arts, sports, and similar events.....	4,750	5,046	4,635	3,820	4,525	4,765	-5.9	8.9	5.0	5.9	18,251	18,059	1.1
7114	Agents and managers for artists, athletes, entertainers, and other public figures	1,562	1,326	1,278	1,186	1,579	1,412	17.8	3.8	-1.1	-6.1	5,352	5,489	-2.5
7115	Independent artists, writers, and performers.....	4,723	3,595	3,658	3,539	4,178	3,618	31.4	-1.7	13.0	-0.6	15,515	14,547	6.7
712	Museums, historical sites, and similar institutions.....	3,656	3,327	3,501	2,558	3,287	3,156	9.9	-5.0	11.2	5.4	13,042	12,396	5.2
713	Amusement, gambling, and recreation industries.....	25,505	29,601	29,278	26,118	24,936	28,774	-13.8	1.1	2.3	2.9	110,502	108,418	1.9
7131	Amusement parks and arcades.....	3,499	5,583	4,614	3,062	3,551	5,256	-37.3	21.0	-1.5	6.2	16,758	16,010	4.7
7132	Gambling industries.....	7,543	7,397	7,643	7,581	7,019	7,095	2.0	-3.2	7.5	4.3	30,164	28,388	6.3
7139	Other amusement and recreation industries.....	14,463	16,621	17,021	15,475	14,366	16,423	-13.0	-2.4	0.7	1.2	63,580	64,020	-0.7
721	Accommodation	51,497	57,417	57,558	48,672	51,304	55,881	-10.3	-0.2	0.4	2.7	215,144	X	X
7211	Traveler accommodation	50,499	55,696	55,989	47,518	50,253	54,130	-9.3	-0.5	0.5	2.9	209,702	X	X
7212	RV (recreational vehicle) parks and recreational camps	716	1,386	1,318	874	753	1,391	-48.3	5.2	-4.9	-0.4	4,294	X	X
7213	Rooming and boarding houses	282	335	251	280	298	360	-15.8	33.5	-5.4	-6.9	1,148	X	X
81	Other services (except public administration) ¹²	113,001	100,383	104,802	105,776	109,880	105,286	12.6	-4.2	2.8	-4.7	423,962	417,378	1.6
811	Repair and maintenance	36,069	37,532	37,746	35,823	35,183	37,669	-3.9	-0.6	2.5	-0.4	147,170	146,474	0.5
8111	Automotive repair and maintenance	20,967	22,736	22,534	21,802	21,016	23,582	-7.8	0.9	-0.2	-3.6	88,039	90,272	-2.5
8112	Electronic and precision equipment repair and maintenance	4,945	4,913	4,931	4,962	5,045	4,691	0.7	-0.4	-2.0	4.7	19,751	19,436	1.6
8113	Commercial and industrial machinery and equipment (except automotive and electronic) repair and maintenance	8,689	8,161	8,410	7,616	7,425	7,786	6.5	-3.0	17.0	4.8	32,876	30,394	8.2
8114	Personal and household goods repair and maintenance	1,468	1,722	1,871	1,443	1,697	1,610	-14.8	-8.0	-13.5	7.0	6,504	6,372	2.1
812	Personal and laundry services.....	22,360	22,081	22,168	21,580	22,044	22,498	1.3	-0.4	1.4	-1.9	88,189	89,545	-1.5
8121	Personal care services.....	S	7,683	7,891	7,638	7,405	7,603	S	-2.6	S	1.1	S	29,957	S
8122	Death care services.....	4,301	4,108	4,066	4,054	4,073	3,955	4.7	1.0	5.6	3.9	16,529	16,200	2.0
8123	Drycleaning and laundry services.....	5,536	5,522	5,676	5,554	5,695	5,850	0.3	-2.7	-2.8	-5.6	22,288	23,475	-5.1
8129	Other personal services.....	4,658	4,768	4,535	4,334	4,871	5,090	-2.3	5.1	-4.4	-6.3	18,295	19,913	-8.1

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813	Religious, grantmaking, civic, professional, and similar organizations ¹³	54,572	40,770	44,888	48,373	52,653	45,119	33.9	-9.2	3.6	-9.6	188,603	181,359	4.0

(p) Preliminary estimate. (r) Revised estimate. X Not applicable. Z Absolute value is less than .05.

S Estimate does not meet publication standards because of high sampling variability (coefficient of variation is greater than 30%) or poor response quality (total quantity response rate is less than 50%). Unpublished estimates derived from this table by subtraction are subject to these same limitations and should not be attributed to the U.S. Census Bureau. For a description of publication standards and the total quantity response rate, see www.census.gov/quality/guidelines/index.html.

(1) For a full description of the NAICS (North American Industry Classification System) codes used in this table, see the 2007 NAICS manual or www.census.gov/eos/www/naics/.

(2) Excludes government owned utilities.

(3) Excludes NAICS 482 (rail transportation) and 491 (postal service).

(4) Includes NAICS 51113 (book publishers), 51114 (directory and mailing list publishers), and 51119 (other publishers).

(5) Includes NAICS 5174 (satellite telecommunications), and 5179 (other telecommunications).

(6) Excludes NAICS 525 (funds, trusts, and other financial vehicles).

(7) Excludes NAICS 521 (monetary authorities-central bank) and NAICS 525 (funds, trusts, and other financial vehicles).

(8) Excludes NAICS 54112 (offices of notaries).

(9) Includes all of NAICS 5413 (architectural, engineering, and related services) except 54133 (engineering services).

(10) Includes NAICS 5611 (office administrative services), 5612 (facilities support services), 5614 (business support services), 5616 (investigation and security services), 5617 (services to buildings and dwellings), and 5619 (other support services).

(11) Excludes NAICS 6111 (elementary and secondary schools), 6112 (junior colleges), and 6113 (colleges, universities, and professional schools).

(12) Excludes NAICS 8131 (religious organizations), 81393 (labor unions and similar labor organizations), 81394 (political organizations), and 814 (private households).

(13) Excludes NAICS 8131 (religious organizations), 81393 (labor unions and similar labor organizations), and 81394 (political organizations).

Note: Estimates cover taxable and tax-exempt firms unless otherwise specified. Additionally, estimates for some sectors and subsectors may include data for kinds of business not shown. Table 2 provides estimated measures of sampling variability. Data users who create their own estimates using data from this report should cite the U.S. Census Bureau as the source of the original data only. Additional information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, sample design, and definitions may be found at www.census.gov/services/qss/cv.html. For NAICS 52, estimates may include unrealized gains (losses).

Table 2. Selected Services - Estimated Measures of Sampling Variability

[Estimates are shown as percents and are based on data from the Quarterly Services Survey]

2007 NAICS code	Kind of business	Coefficient of variation for total revenue						Standard error for percent change				Year to date		
												Coefficient of variation		Standard error
		4Q 2013 (p)	3Q 2013 (r)	2Q 2013	1Q 2013	4Q 2012	3Q 2012	4Q 2013 from 3Q 2013 (p)	3Q 2013 from 2Q 2013 (r)	4Q 2013 from 4Q 2012 (p)	3Q 2013 from 3Q 2012 (r)	2013 (p)	2012	2013 from 2012 (p)
22	Utilities	3.8	4.5	4.3	4.4	4.0	4.9	0.9	1.7	1.5	1.5	4.2	3.5	2.0
2211	Electric power generation, transmission and distribution ..	4.7	5.3	5.3	5.5	4.8	5.6	0.9	1.9	2.0	1.6	5.1	4.0	2.6
2212	Natural gas distribution	3.2	4.3	3.6	2.9	3.7	4.7	3.6	1.3	1.2	1.2	3.2	2.7	1.4
2213	Water, sewage and other systems	7.3	5.8	6.1	7.4	7.0	6.0	1.9	1.1	1.6	1.0	6.6	5.9	2.3
48-49	Transportation and warehousing	2.6	2.9	2.8	2.5	2.5	2.6	0.6	0.4	0.8	0.8	2.7	1.7	1.4
481	Air transportation	4.7	4.2	3.7	4.1	4.7	5.2	0.6	1.0	1.9	2.7	4.1	5.5	3.1
483	Water transportation	3.7	3.1	3.9	3.4	3.4	3.2	0.9	1.6	2.4	2.5	3.4	4.2	4.0
4831	Deep sea, coastal, and Great Lakes water transportation...	5.2	4.1	5.1	4.5	4.6	3.8	1.2	1.7	3.2	3.2	4.6	X	X
4832	Inland water transportation.....	4.1	4.5	3.2	4.0	3.2	3.9	1.1	2.0	1.7	1.5	3.9	X	X
484	Truck transportation	7.9	7.9	8.0	8.0	7.8	7.8	0.5	0.3	1.0	0.9	7.9	5.4	2.5
4841	General freight trucking	11.7	11.7	11.6	11.8	11.0	11.2	0.6	1.0	1.6	2.2	11.7	8.0	3.7
48412	General freight trucking, long-distance	13.1	12.9	12.8	13.0	12.2	12.5	0.8	0.8	2.2	2.7	12.9	9.0	4.1
4842	Specialized freight trucking	2.0	2.1	2.6	3.2	2.1	2.2	1.7	2.0	2.0	2.3	2.1	3.8	4.5
485	Transit and ground passenger transportation	4.9	5.0	5.7	5.7	4.3	5.6	3.2	2.1	1.5	2.8	5.2	4.5	2.3
486	Pipeline transportation	5.2	7.2	7.2	5.9	5.6	5.6	1.8	0.1	1.3	1.5	6.3	4.3	2.0
487	Scenic and sightseeing transportation	9.2	4.9	2.4	4.6	12.9	4.2	4.7	5.2	5.9	3.6	4.2	5.0	2.5
488	Support activities for transportation	5.1	7.4	7.6	5.8	6.3	6.6	2.8	1.1	3.9	2.1	6.4	6.4	1.9
492	Couriers and messengers	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.9	3.1	3.5	0.7	1.0	1.2	1.6	2.9	2.5	1.1
493	Warehousing and storage	3.8	4.8	5.2	5.0	4.4	3.8	1.1	3.1	3.7	3.8	4.3	3.3	3.0
51	Information	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.4	0.3	0.1	0.6	0.5	1.7	1.4	0.6
511	Publishing industries (except Internet)	3.5	3.5	3.4	3.1	3.1	2.3	0.9	0.6	1.5	1.7	3.3	2.4	1.5
51111	Newspaper publishers	7.4	7.4	7.4	6.1	6.6	7.0	0.3	0.9	1.8	2.5	7.1	4.8	2.6
51112	Periodical publishers	3.7	3.6	3.2	3.7	3.8	2.8	2.2	1.5	2.6	2.5	3.3	3.1	1.7
5111 pt	Book, directory and mailing list, and other publishers	3.7	5.1	3.7	2.6	2.5	4.4	3.6	2.9	3.0	2.4	3.3	2.3	1.6
5112	Software publishers	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.6	5.0	3.6	1.0	0.5	1.7	2.0	4.7	3.9	1.8
512	Motion picture and sound recording industries	3.7	3.9	3.5	2.6	2.7	3.5	1.5	2.0	3.3	3.2	3.3	2.8	2.6
515	Broadcasting (except Internet)	1.5	1.3	1.0	1.2	1.4	1.1	1.1	0.5	0.6	0.4	1.2	1.1	0.5
5151	Radio and television broadcasting	3.0	3.2	2.4	2.5	2.7	2.6	2.6	1.3	1.1	0.8	2.6	2.2	1.0
5152	Cable and other subscription programming	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	0.1	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.9	0.7	0.3
517	Telecommunications	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.1	0.1	0.2	0.8	0.8	2.2	X	X
5171	Wired telecommunications carriers	3.6	3.6	3.8	3.7	3.7	3.7	0.1	0.2	1.7	1.7	3.7	X	X
5172	Wireless telecommunications carriers (except satellite) ...	2.2	2.4	2.1	1.7	2.7	2.0	0.1	0.3	0.5	0.4	2.1	1.6	0.8
517 pt	Other telecommunications	7.3	6.5	6.1	5.6	5.4	5.8	0.9	0.6	2.6	2.4	6.3	X	X
518	Data processing, hosting, and related services	6.1	5.4	5.3	5.6	5.8	4.7	1.6	0.6	1.1	1.4	5.6	4.4	2.2
519	Other information services.....	6.4	6.5	6.9	8.5	6.7	6.0	1.6	0.8	1.8	1.3	7.0	X	X
52	Finance and insurance	3.7	3.5	3.8	3.5	2.8	3.5	0.6	0.3	1.3	0.6	3.6	2.8	1.1
52 pt	Finance and insurance (except monetary authorities-central bank)	3.8	3.6	3.9	3.6	2.9	3.6	0.6	0.3	1.4	0.7	3.7	2.9	1.1
521	Monetary authorities-central bank.....	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
522	Credit intermediation and related activities.....	3.4	3.5	3.2	2.6	2.9	3.0	0.3	0.4	0.9	0.9	3.2	2.9	2.7
5221	Depository credit intermediation.....	8.0	8.2	7.7	6.5	6.3	6.5	0.6	0.8	1.7	1.8	7.6	X	X
5222	Nondepository credit intermediation.....	2.2	2.1	2.5	1.9	2.6	2.7	0.4	0.6	1.1	0.8	2.1	X	X
5223	Activities related to credit intermediation.....	3.1	3.3	3.2	3.1	1.9	1.9	0.5	0.8	1.7	2.5	3.1	X	X
523	Securities, commodity contracts, and other financial investments and related activities	3.4	3.6	3.9	3.2	3.6	5.5	0.9	1.4	1.5	2.1	3.5	3.7	1.2
5231	Securities and commodity contracts intermediation and brokerage	4.6	4.6	4.4	3.7	4.6	6.7	1.3	0.8	2.0	4.0	4.2	4.2	3.1
5232	Securities and commodity exchanges	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z
5239	Other financial investment activities	5.2	5.3	6.0	5.4	5.0	5.3	1.3	2.9	1.5	2.3	5.3	4.2	1.5
524	Insurance carriers and related activities	6.1	5.6	5.6	5.7	4.6	5.5	0.8	0.5	2.0	0.7	5.7	3.7	2.3
5241	Insurance carriers	6.9	6.3	6.2	6.1	5.1	6.3	0.9	0.5	2.3	0.7	6.3	4.2	2.4
5242	Agencies, brokerages, and other insurance related activities	7.1	6.4	6.8	6.5	6.6	7.2	2.8	1.2	2.9	2.3	6.5	7.2	4.0

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53	Real estate and rental and leasing	3.3	3.4	3.3	3.1	3.2	3.1	1.0	1.0	2.7	2.7	3.2	X	X
531	Real estate	4.9	4.8	4.7	4.5	4.0	3.6	1.3	1.2	3.5	3.4	4.6	X	X
5311	Lessors of real estate.....	7.7	7.8	7.2	6.0	5.8	5.4	1.7	1.1	4.9	4.7	7.0	X	X
5312	Offices of real estate agents and brokers.....	2.7	3.7	3.9	3.6	4.7	4.4	1.9	3.3	4.1	5.7	3.1	X	X
5313	Activities related to real estate.....	4.5	5.4	5.2	6.0	4.8	4.1	1.5	2.0	4.4	4.4	5.1	X	X
532	Rental and leasing services	5.2	5.0	5.3	5.9	6.6	6.7	1.5	0.9	2.8	2.9	5.3	5.0	1.9
5321	Automotive equipment rental and leasing	4.7	4.6	4.5	5.8	9.0	9.8	0.3	0.4	5.9	6.2	4.5	6.5	4.6
53211	Passenger car rental and leasing.....	6.4	6.2	6.0	8.4	13.3	14.2	0.4	0.4	7.2	7.5	6.1	9.6	5.8
53212	Truck, utility trailer, and RV (Recreational Vehicle) rental and leasing	4.1	3.8	4.1	4.4	4.3	4.8	0.5	1.0	1.3	1.6	4.0	4.3	1.8
5322	Consumer goods rental	17.8	16.3	15.4	15.6	12.6	10.8	2.2	2.1	5.0	6.3	16.2	7.6	7.6
5323	General rental centers.....	14.5	16.0	11.7	13.2	13.7	13.5	1.5	3.8	2.8	6.5	13.8	12.4	4.6
5324	Commercial and industrial machinery and equipment rental and leasing	10.2	10.1	10.3	10.5	9.8	10.3	3.0	1.5	2.9	3.6	10.2	8.4	3.2
533	Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets (except copyrighted works)	4.5	5.5	5.8	3.5	4.0	6.0	2.2	0.6	2.6	4.2	4.3	4.7	2.4
54	Professional, scientific, and technical services	1.3	1.5	1.5	1.3	1.6	1.6	0.7	0.6	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.8	1.6
5411	Legal services	3.5	3.4	1.8	3.1	3.1	3.1	1.8	2.2	1.2	2.1	2.8	3.4	2.9
5412	Accounting, tax preparation, bookkeeping, and payroll services	4.0	3.1	2.1	2.6	2.5	1.7	2.7	1.3	3.1	2.3	2.7	2.6	3.5
5413	Architectural, engineering, and related services	7.6	8.4	8.5	7.0	7.4	6.8	1.5	0.8	2.1	1.7	7.9	5.3	2.8
5413 pt	Architectural and related services	4.6	4.8	6.3	6.3	6.0	5.8	3.4	2.5	3.0	5.1	5.1	3.8	4.1
54133	Engineering services	10.5	11.1	11.3	9.6	9.8	9.5	1.3	1.0	2.6	2.3	10.6	7.1	3.5
5414	Specialized design services.....	7.3	6.7	4.6	3.4	5.0	6.2	3.5	4.2	8.6	5.1	4.9	X	X
5415	Computer systems design and related services	5.9	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.3	2.6	1.1	4.7	4.5	5.6	5.1	4.9
5416	Management, scientific, and technical consulting services	3.7	3.0	4.3	3.7	3.2	3.3	1.2	1.6	2.4	2.3	3.6	2.5	2.3
5417	Scientific research and development services	11.3	12.3	12.1	12.2	6.2	10.1	3.3	1.0	5.4	2.6	11.9	6.5	6.2
5418	Advertising, public relations, and related services	5.6	5.4	4.8	4.0	5.0	5.3	1.6	1.5	1.3	1.8	4.8	3.8	1.8
5419	Other professional, scientific, and technical services.....	10.3	11.1	10.4	11.2	7.1	8.1	2.9	2.0	3.3	4.4	10.7	X	X
56	Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services	2.5	2.6	2.8	2.6	2.5	2.1	0.7	0.9	1.0	1.2	2.5	2.1	1.3
561	Administrative and support services	3.4	3.4	3.7	3.0	2.9	2.7	0.7	1.1	1.2	1.5	3.3	2.5	1.8
5613	Employment services	7.5	7.4	10.0	9.8	9.0	8.6	0.9	2.6	3.5	2.7	8.5	8.2	3.1
5615	Travel arrangement and reservation services	5.5	6.3	3.7	4.2	4.8	6.9	2.2	4.8	1.8	2.2	4.5	3.8	1.7
561 pt	Other administrative and support services	2.8	3.5	3.3	2.9	2.5	3.0	0.9	1.2	1.6	2.4	3.0	1.6	2.5
562	Waste management and remediation services	9.7	10.1	9.4	10.0	10.1	10.4	1.3	1.2	1.8	1.8	9.8	8.3	2.4
61	Educational services	3.6	4.7	3.9	3.6	2.9	2.0	2.3	2.3	2.0	3.6	3.7	2.3	2.8
6114	Business schools and computer and management training	8.0	9.1	7.7	6.3	5.9	5.1	3.7	3.1	3.2	5.3	7.3	4.0	6.5
6115	Technical and trade schools	8.5	10.0	9.0	8.4	6.6	7.0	2.3	3.6	6.7	6.1	8.9	6.4	7.3
6116	Other schools and instruction.....	8.8	12.1	8.8	7.8	4.9	6.0	4.6	4.1	4.9	9.1	9.0	X	X
6117	Educational support services	3.3	3.5	2.3	2.9	2.2	3.0	3.2	2.5	3.2	3.7	2.3	3.3	4.8
62	Health care and social assistance	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.6	1.4	0.3	0.2	0.6	0.6	1.6	1.2	0.5
621	Ambulatory health care services	1.6	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.9	0.5	0.3	1.1	1.2	1.5	1.4	1.0
6211	Offices of physicians.....	3.9	3.9	3.9	4.1	4.2	4.5	0.9	0.6	2.0	2.0	3.9	3.4	2.1
6212	Offices of dentists.....	5.2	5.1	4.7	4.1	4.1	3.9	0.7	1.0	1.9	2.2	4.7	3.7	2.6
6213	Offices of other health practitioners	4.6	4.2	4.8	4.0	3.7	3.3	1.7	1.0	1.2	1.7	4.3	3.7	1.7
6214	Outpatient care centers	2.4	2.6	2.8	2.6	3.0	2.9	0.6	0.7	1.0	0.8	2.6	2.4	0.8
6215	Medical and diagnostic laboratories	3.5	3.6	3.1	3.4	3.8	3.3	0.5	1.2	1.2	2.1	3.4	3.0	1.4
6216	Home health care services	2.4	3.1	3.7	3.8	4.1	3.4	1.5	1.9	2.8	2.0	3.1	4.5	2.8
6219	Other ambulatory health care services	4.0	4.3	3.9	3.1	2.3	2.7	0.8	1.6	2.0	2.2	3.7	2.5	2.3

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												2013 (p)	2012	2013 from 2012 (p)
622	Hospitals	3.2	3.0	3.3	3.4	2.9	2.9	0.3	0.3	0.7	1.2	3.2	2.7	0.9
6221	General medical and surgical hospitals.....	3.5	3.4	3.6	3.8	3.2	3.1	0.4	0.3	0.7	1.2	3.6	X	X
6222	Psychiatric and substance abuse hospitals.....	4.9	5.3	4.7	4.4	3.4	3.8	4.9	2.1	1.9	3.9	4.6	X	X
6223	Specialty (except psychiatric and substance abuse) hospitals.....	3.6	3.4	3.7	3.7	3.6	2.2	0.5	1.0	0.8	2.1	3.6	X	X
623	Nursing and residential care facilities	2.8	3.1	2.8	3.2	3.1	2.9	1.1	1.4	1.1	1.5	2.9	2.6	1.6
624	Social assistance	4.2	3.8	4.1	5.2	3.9	4.0	1.7	1.7	1.4	1.5	4.2	2.7	3.0
6241	Individual and family services.....	4.7	4.0	4.6	5.4	4.0	4.4	2.0	2.9	2.6	2.1	4.4	3.9	3.1
6242	Community food and housing, and emergency and other relief services	3.8	2.8	4.8	2.6	2.7	2.5	3.6	2.6	2.3	1.6	3.1	1.4	2.4
6243	Vocational rehabilitation services	9.2	7.4	9.2	9.0	9.3	11.8	2.6	2.7	3.1	4.8	8.6	8.4	6.1
6244	Child day care services	7.3	8.7	8.0	9.7	8.2	6.4	4.1	2.5	2.8	4.3	8.3	3.8	5.0
71	Arts, entertainment, and recreation.....	1.6	1.8	2.1	3.0	2.9	2.3	1.5	1.1	1.8	1.3	1.8	2.0	0.9
711	Performing arts, spectator sports, and related industries	4.4	2.1	3.6	3.1	4.4	2.2	3.0	3.3	2.9	1.6	2.8	2.9	2.3
7111	Performing arts companies.....	7.2	5.8	5.0	4.1	4.0	6.0	4.1	3.7	6.3	8.2	5.0	3.8	5.4
7112	Spectator sports.....	11.9	5.9	9.6	11.5	12.7	5.9	6.9	10.8	7.0	3.5	8.4	8.7	5.1
7113	Promoters of performing arts, sports, and similar events..	4.4	3.3	6.3	8.0	4.0	4.0	4.9	4.1	5.4	2.3	3.9	3.0	2.6
7114	Agents and managers for artists, athletes, entertainers, and other public figures	13.0	12.4	17.7	12.4	13.7	13.1	5.9	8.2	8.3	2.7	13.2	9.2	4.2
7115	Independent artists, writers, and performers.....	7.7	6.7	7.2	5.8	6.1	6.2	11.5	6.3	9.3	2.8	5.8	4.1	4.6
712	Museums, historical sites, and similar institutions.....	4.7	3.5	5.7	3.9	6.0	3.9	2.7	3.8	4.0	3.7	3.6	3.5	1.9
713	Amusement, gambling, and recreation industries.....	4.0	3.3	4.2	5.0	3.9	3.8	1.9	2.4	2.0	1.7	3.9	2.8	2.3
7131	Amusement parks and arcades.....	2.6	4.8	3.7	2.8	2.9	4.2	2.6	1.8	2.6	1.6	3.2	3.3	2.2
7132	Gambling industries.....	7.2	7.6	7.6	8.8	7.1	6.7	1.8	3.2	3.2	4.0	7.5	5.2	5.3
7139	Other amusement and recreation industries.....	7.4	6.4	7.2	7.0	6.4	6.6	2.8	2.7	2.5	2.1	6.8	4.9	3.4
721	Accommodation	3.8	3.9	4.0	3.4	3.1	3.2	1.0	0.9	1.3	1.4	3.7	X	X
7211	Traveler accommodation	3.8	3.9	4.0	3.5	3.1	3.2	1.0	0.9	1.3	1.4	3.8	X	X
7212	RV (recreational vehicle) parks and recreational camps ..	2.8	5.4	3.2	3.5	3.3	2.5	2.9	4.9	3.6	4.8	2.7	X	X
7213	Rooming and boarding houses	20.4	21.5	24.3	12.6	18.7	19.7	5.5	7.7	2.1	4.2	19.5	X	X
81	Other services (except public administration)	3.5	2.6	1.7	2.5	2.6	1.1	2.0	1.2	2.1	2.5	2.4	1.6	1.3
811	Repair and maintenance	4.8	4.2	4.5	3.6	3.4	2.8	1.5	1.3	2.2	3.5	4.1	3.1	1.9
8111	Automotive repair and maintenance	6.4	6.2	6.5	5.8	4.7	4.4	2.3	2.0	2.6	5.0	6.0	4.2	3.0
8112	Electronic and precision equipment repair and maintenance	9.3	9.6	10.0	7.6	12.0	9.0	1.8	1.4	4.0	2.5	9.1	7.9	4.3
8113	Commercial and industrial machinery and equipment (except automotive and electronic) repair and maintenance	9.8	10.1	8.7	10.0	9.8	9.4	2.7	2.8	5.1	5.8	9.4	8.8	6.0
8114	Personal and household goods repair and maintenance	8.4	8.4	11.5	9.8	8.8	6.2	6.8	3.9	8.2	4.6	8.8	6.9	5.3
812	Personal and laundry services.....	4.1	4.0	3.9	4.7	4.2	3.0	0.9	1.3	1.6	1.6	4.1	3.3	1.5
8121	Personal care services.....	S	6.2	6.6	8.0	7.5	6.3	S	2.0	S	2.6	S	4.5	S
8122	Death care services.....	8.4	8.4	8.4	7.9	9.7	8.5	1.1	1.2	2.1	2.0	8.2	7.6	2.7
8123	Drycleaning and laundry services.....	8.7	8.3	8.3	7.9	7.6	6.0	0.4	1.4	1.8	3.6	8.3	5.5	3.1
8129	Other personal services.....	7.2	6.7	4.8	4.6	6.1	5.0	3.2	3.6	4.0	5.1	5.5	4.0	3.7
813	Religious, grantmaking, civic, professional, and similar organizations	4.2	2.2	1.8	4.4	3.6	2.4	4.6	2.3	3.6	3.1	2.5	1.7	2.2

(p) Preliminary estimate. (r) Revised estimate. X Not applicable. Z Absolute value is less than .05.

S Corresponding estimate in Table 1a and/or 1b does not meet publication standards because of high sampling variability or poor response quality.

Note: Estimated measures of sampling variability are based on data not adjusted for seasonal variation, and should be used when drawing inferences about both adjusted and not adjusted estimates. Additional information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, sample design, and definitions may be found at www.census.gov/services/qss/cv.html.

Survey Description

The U.S. Census Bureau conducts the Quarterly Services Survey (QSS) to provide national estimates of quarterly revenue for employer firms located in the United States and classified in select service industries. The current total sample size is approximately 19,000 employer firms.

Each quarter, questionnaires are mailed to a probability sample of employer firms selected from the larger Service Annual Survey (SAS) sample. The QSS sample includes firms of all sizes and is updated on a quarterly basis to account for new services businesses, deaths, and other changes to the survey universe. Data for nonresponding firms are imputed based on data for similar-sized firms classified in the same kind of business. The following table lists imputation rates of total quarterly revenue for the industries published in the QSS:

2007 NAICS Code	Kind of Business	Imputation Rate of Total Quarterly Revenue (in %)
22	Utilities	8
48-49	Transportation and warehousing	26
51	Information	14
52	Finance and insurance	17
53	Real estate and rental and leasing	38
54	Professional, scientific, and technical services	37
56	Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services	46
61	Educational services	36
62	Health care and social assistance	37
71	Arts, entertainment, and recreation	36
721	Accommodation	36
81	Other services (except public administration)	38

Quarterly revenue estimates are obtained by summing weighted data (either reported or imputed), where the weight for a particular unit is the reciprocal of its probability of being selected into the sample. The estimates are benchmarked using results of the latest SAS. Additional information on the QSS can be found on the Census Bureau website at <http://www.census.gov/services/index.html>.

Description of Seasonal Adjustment

To derive the seasonally adjusted revenue estimates published in this report, we used all available quarterly revenue estimates as input to the Census Bureau's X-13 ARIMA-SEATS program. With each quarterly release, we publish preliminary seasonally adjusted estimates for the current quarter and revised seasonally adjusted estimates for the previous five quarters. The seasonal adjustment models used to derive seasonal factors for each kind of business are evaluated annually and will not be revised until the next benchmarking operation. For a table of the seasonal adjustment factors, see <http://www2.census.gov/services/qss/qssseasfactors.xls>. A list of "Frequently Asked Questions" on seasonal adjustment of QSS estimates is available at <http://www.census.gov/services/qss/qssseasfaq.html>.

Reliability of the Estimates

The estimates in this report may differ from the actual, but unknown, population values. For a particular estimate, statisticians define this difference as the total error of the estimate. When describing the accuracy of survey results, it is convenient to discuss total error as the sum of sampling error and nonsampling error. Nonsampling error is the difference between the actual population parameter and the value that would be derived by surveying the entire set of units identified as the survey universe (the sampling frame). There are many potential contributors to nonsampling error – the inclusion of erroneous units in the survey (overcoverage), the exclusion of eligible units from the survey (undercoverage), nonresponse, misreporting, mistakes in recording and coding responses, misinterpretation of questions, and other errors of collection, response, coverage, or processing. Though nonsampling error is not measured directly, the Census Bureau employs quality control procedures throughout the process to minimize this type of error. Sampling error is the average difference between the estimate and the result that would be obtained from a complete enumeration of the sampling frame conducted under the same survey conditions. This error occurs because only a subset of the entire sampling frame is measured in a sample survey. Common measures of sampling error are the sampling variance, the standard error, and the coefficient of variation (CV). The sampling variance is defined as the squared difference, averaged over all possible samples of the same size and design, between the estimator and its average value. The standard error is the square root of the sampling variance. The CV expresses the standard error as a percentage of the estimate to which it refers. For example, an estimate of 200 units that has an estimated standard error of 10 units has an estimated CV of 5 percent. The sampling variance, standard error, and CV of an estimate can be estimated from the selected sample because the sample was selected using probability sampling. Standard errors and coefficients of variation are given in Table 2 of this report.

The first page of this release gives statements about the change in revenue from a prior period. Each change estimate is accompanied by a number in parentheses, called the "margin of error." The margin of error can be used to construct a 90-percent confidence interval, which is interpreted as follows. If, for each possible sample, an estimate and its approximate standard error are obtained, then for approximately 90 percent of the possible samples, the interval from 1.895 standard errors below to 1.895 standard errors above the estimate would include the average of the estimates derived from all possible samples. If, for example, a particular change estimate is +1.2 percent and its associated margin of error is ± 1.5 percentage points, then the 90-percent confidence interval for the change estimate is -0.3 percent to +2.7 percent. If the interval contains 0, then one does not have sufficient evidence to conclude at the 90-percent confidence level that the actual change is different from zero. Each comparison stated in this report has undergone statistical testing and is significant at the 90-percent confidence level, unless otherwise noted. Data users should take into account the estimates of sampling error and the potential effects of nonsampling error when using the statistics in this publication.